REMARKS

This is in full and timely response to the Office Action mailed on October 14, 2004.

Claims 72-86 are currently pending in this application, with claim 72 being independent.

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No new matter has been added.

Reexamination in light of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Claim rejections

While not conceding the propriety of the rejections and in order to advance the prosecution of the present application, the rejected claims have been canceled.

Withdrawal of these rejections is respectfully requested.

Newly added claims

<u>Claims 72-86</u> - Claims 73-86 are dependent upon claim 72. Claim 72 is drawn to a printer comprising:

a guide rail mechanically attached to a printer housing portion, said guide rail guiding a display device onto said printer housing portion;

an operation system incorporated within said printer housing portion, said operation system controlling said display device to select an image for exhibition on said display device;

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a printer mechanism incorporated within said printer housing portion, said operation system commanding said printer mechanism to a physical reproduction of said image;

a button on said printer housing portion, depression of said button releasing said display device from said guide rail,

wherein said display device is mechanically attached to said guide rail when said image is selected for exhibition on said display device, said image being previously captured by said display device,

wherein said display device is adapted to operate separate and apart from said printer housing portion when unattached from said guide rail,

wherein the manner in which said printer mechanism is operated is visually confirmed on said display device.

U.S. Patent No. 5,926,285 (Takahashi), U.S. Patent 5,559,554 (Uekane), U.S. Patent 4,937,676 (Finelli), and U.S. Patent 4,507,689 (Kozuki), either individually or as a whole, fail to disclose, teach, or suggest a printer having a button on said printer housing portion, depression of said button releasing said display device from said guide rail.

Allowance of the claims is respectfully requested.

Official Notice

There is no concession as to the veracity of Official Notice, if taken in any Office Action.

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An affidavit or document should be provided in support of any Official Notice taken. 37

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Pat. App. & Int. 1989)(failure to provide any objective evidence to support the challenged use of

CFR 1.104(d)(2), MPEP § 2144.03. See also, Ex parte Natale, 11 USPQ2d 1222, 1227-1228 (Bd.

Official Notice constitutes clear and reversible error).

Extensions of time

Please treat any concurrent or future reply, requiring a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length

of time.

Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all required fees, fees under 37 C.F.R.

§1.17, or all required extension of time fees. If any fee is required or any overpayment made, the

Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee or credit the overpayment to Deposit Account

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Conclusion

This response is believed to be a complete response to the Office Action.

Applicants reserve the right to set forth further arguments supporting the patentability of

their claims, including the separate patentability of the dependent claims not explicitly addressed

herein, in future papers.

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For the foregoing reasons, all the claims now pending in the present application are allowable, and the present application is in condition for allowance.

Accordingly, favorable reexamination and reconsideration of the application in light of the remarks is courteously solicited.

If the Examiner has any comments or suggestions that could place this application in even better form, the Examiner is requested to telephone Brian K. Dutton, Reg. No. 47,255, at 202-955-8753.

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